

Christmas Tree Harvest Report Made By Boehm

'49 Crop Valued at \$60,000
On Stump, Yields
39,973 Trees

With the closing of the Christmas tree harvest on the Truckee District of Tahoe National Forest for the 1949 season, a number of interesting facts are evident, according to Forest Ranger Edward E. Boehm of Truckee.

Boehm said that 39,973 trees were cut amounting to 203,200 linear feet, valued at \$60,000 on the stump. The average stumpage price on private land was 15 cents a foot for white fir and 25 cents for red fir or silver tips. Only 13 per cent of the harvest was cut on government land. The average price for these latter being 14 cents for white fir and 29 cents for red fir.

The government price ran slightly higher than from private land due to the fact that all areas are put up to competitive bids. The minimum bid on government land for this season was 12 cents for white fir and 17 cents for silver tips, which was two cents lower than in 1948.

In figuring the minimum bid price, certain factors are taken into consideration, Boehm said, such as retail prices, labor and transportation costs, accessibility and other, economic factors. In other words, he said, a fair profit is assured all concerned from the cutters to the retailers.

Government trees are cut on a rotation basis on the Truckee District. Fifty thousand trees will be cut over a 10 year cycle or 5,000 trees each year. In this way a yearly cut will be assured indefinitely. All trees cut are on a thinning basis in the interest of growing timber, the ranger said. Each tree cut will release several more trees, thereby increasing their growth by letting in more light, when the cutting is done under government supervision.

On each foot of government stumpage sold, five cents a foot is returned to the area to be used for improvement of the timber, such as pruning and thinning. In addition 25 per cent of the proceeds go to the county treasury in lieu of taxes. This amounted to \$1460.30 this year.

Most private owners in the district, Boehm said, are following good cutting practices along with the Forest Service.

The practice of allowing one tree for each family which lives in the forest is in effect this year. Those living outside the area were eliminated due to the scarcity of trees, he added.

Truckee Post Office Open Sat'dy Afternoon

For the accommodation of those who cannot transact business at the post office during the regular hours, Postmaster E. C. Baver today announced that on Saturday the office will be open until 5 p.m.

20-30 Party at Cozzi's Set on New Year Eve

A New Year's Eve dinner party, combined with the installing of officers for the coming year will be held in Cozzi's Cafe to be attended by members of the 20-30 Club and their guests. Kenneth Hedlund and George F. Kamp are on the committee to arrange the affair, being named at the club meeting Wednesday evening.

An orchestra is being arranged for and Cozzi's will be open to the public after dinner.

John Street and not John Smith is on the board of directors of the 20-30 Club for 1950.

Tricia Scott Honored At Party for Birthday

Mrs. Ray Scott was hostess at a party for their daughter, Patricia, Friday afternoon, December 9, two days before her fourth birthday. Games were played and candy cane favors were given the young guests. During the refreshment hour, a chocolate cake covered with white frosting was cut for the young honoree.

Guests sharing the pleasant afternoon were Mrs. Charles Warner and son Charles of Tahoe City; Mrs. William Englehart Jr. and daughter Gail; Mrs. Robert Gifford and daughter Edna; Mrs. Robert Simon and daughter Kitty; Mrs. Douglas Barrett and daughters Phyllis, Kathryn and Sheila; Mrs. David Anderson and daughters Winnie and Phyllis; Mrs. Loren Vertner and daughters Mary and Barbara; Mrs. Robert Leamon and children Marcia and Barry; Mrs. John Grack and daughters Carol and Donna.

School Programs Precede Holiday Recess In District

Classes to Resume Here
Tuesday, January 3,
O'Rourke Says

Schools in the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District will close for the Christmas holidays on Friday, December 16, and will reopen on Tuesday, January 3, Everett O'Rourke, district superintendent, announced.

Christmas programs scheduled for this week are to be held at the Donner Theater in Truckee Thursday afternoon, at the Brockway Theater in Kings Beach on Thursday night and at the Tahoe Lake School auditorium Friday night.

The Donner Trail School held its Christmas program last Thursday night. The program was held early because teachers feared a storm might prevent keeping the school open.

The complete program for the joint Christmas program of the Tahoe Truckee high school and the Truckee elementary school this afternoon at the Donner Theater, under the direction of Ernest Douglas, district music instructor, is as follows:

Jingle Bells, school rhythm and tonette band; Away in a Manger, first grade chorus; Twas the Night Before Christmas, recitation by Aaron Thomas; Deck the Halls, 5th and 6th grade chorus; We Three Kings, flute solo by Lee Rich; The Littlest Angel, choral recitation by Charles Tazewell and 2nd and 3rd grade chorus; Wind Through the Olive Trees, 3rd and 4th grade chorus; It Came Upon a Midnight Clear, soprano solo by Joan Ward; Story of the Birth of Christ, dramatic reading by Roberta Peden, Alberta Cooper and Mary Ann Tonini; O Little Town of Bethlehem, 7th and 8th grade chorus; Special announcements, Ruth Osburn, Jimmy Purcell and Pat English; Beethoven's Moonlight Sonata, piano solo by Dorene Quam; Oh, Come All Ye Faithful, high school chorus; Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (Bach), high school chorus with violin obbligato by Thelma Finger;

Handel's Joy to the World and Oh, Holy Night, high school chorus; soprano solo by Barbara Marthaller; Bizet's Angles Dei, high school band.

High School Panel Is PTA Meet Program

A panel of six high school students spoke before the Truckee PTA at its meeting Monday night. Participating were Lois Horsley, Dick Loynd, Simon Dominguez, Mary Boyce and Mike O'Rourke, who discussed teen age problems and the possible organization of a youth center here.

Mrs. M. E. Brown presided and Mrs. Don Sites was refreshments chairman.

The PTA is supplying candy and helping with the schools' Christmas programs this week.

Folk Dancing Encore at Donner Lake Lodge

The success of their recent old-fashioned and folk dance at Donner Lake Lodge has prompted Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nisbet to plan another for Saturday evening.

Suitable music has been engaged and everyone is invited to attend, Nisbet said.

Outing Club Leader Appeals for Support

President Reg Smart of the Truckee Outing Club reports that membership cards are being mailed this week and urges wholehearted support of the drive. He pointed out that this is the only source of assured income for the club which sponsors Truckee ski teams and ski meets. In addition, the club has a long-range program for improving ski hills and trails near here.

Club meetings are held once a month with an entertainment program planned in conjunction with each session.

New S.P. Survey Shown At Session Of Rotary Club

Harold Hodson, the program chairman of the Rotary Club meeting held at Donner Lake Lodge Monday evening, presented a wire recording secured by James Sherriff on the contemplated new 108 miles route of the Southern Pacific Company from Roseville to Verdi.

According to the interesting data, 52 miles of the road will be tunneled and the Henry J. Kaiser Company has taken over the estimates of engineering and other costs of the proposed project.

Visitors at the meeting were Col. Fleming of Pennsylvania and James Walker and Tom Bonano of Truckee.

YOUTH CURFEW ENFORCEMENT IS PROMISED

In an effort to curb juvenile delinquency in this area, Deputy Sheriff Fosten Wilson this week announced that he had been instructed to rigidly enforce the county curfew law.

This county ordinance provides that all minors be off the streets and out of public places before 10 p.m. unless accompanied by their parents. Since its passage by the board of supervisors several years ago, the ordinance has been more or less neglected, Wilson said, but Probation Officer Thomas Barrett and other county officials are urging its enforcement to the letter.

The law provides that the parent as well as the minor is responsible for violations and the local officer has said he will be required to make arrests in the future if violations continue.

Officers throughout the county, Barrett has said, have been entirely too lenient in enforcement of this ordinance and added that the mere fact that there is such a law does not prevent juvenile delinquency and that unless arrests and punishments are meted out, the law may just as well not be in the books.

Fosten Wilson to Head Knights During 1950

Last Friday night Fosten Wilson was elected to serve a chancellor commander of Summit Lodge 54, Knights of Pythias, for 1950. Other officers elect are Don Sites, vice chancellor; Hes Cardinal, prelate; Erv Waters, master of work; Charles Heller, secretary; Robert Seibold, treasurer; Frank Gaiennie, financial secretary; Tony Polyanich, trustee; Wm. Englehart Jr., inner guard, and Wm. Englehart Sr., outer guard.

WCS Work Meeting Gets Sparse Response

A working meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service was held at the Community Church on Wednesday, attended by only a few members of the organization.

A special meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Ray Scott on Tuesday, December 20, when pre-Christmas preparations will be made.

Odd Fellows Unity Move Discussed at Meet Here

The possibility of the Odd Fellows lodges of Truckee, Loyalton, Portola and Downieville consolidating into one district and at the same time retaining their individual lodge rank was discussed at a meeting here Tuesday night when 14 visitors from the White Pines Lodge at Loyalton, headed by Charles W. Foster, and four from Portola headed by J. W. Weddell met with the Truckee Odd Fellows.

The visit was enjoyable and other such meetings are planned. Following the meeting a feed was served at George's Cafe.

Visitor in South—James Leamon is a business visitor in the Los Angeles district this weekend.

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Sun Beams

by Walter M. Barrett

There are only eight more shopping days until Christmas.

One valuable service rendered by the Truckee Public Utility District which is seldom mentioned is the installation and maintenance of scores of street lights. It is true that through the payment of their bills, each subscriber in the district shares in the cost, but this cost is hardly worth mentioning in comparing the value received. Truckee is probably the best lighted small town in the state with its rows of electrolites, corner lights and array of neons from one end of town to the other and when we are making comparisons or finding fault with our town this is one thing to remember.

When economic conditions throughout the country are above par, small communities are seldom bothered by the professional chiseler, who finds a more lucrative field in the larger centers. When conditions show a slump, however, it is the small town which feels the bite of the brief case "businessman" most. This is probably largely due to the friendly attitude of the small town resident who hates to refuse to listen to the story of a stranger who would have his listener believe that he should be flattered by the visit. Don't be fooled. There are hundreds of well established, sound principled firms and people in business to serve every requirement. These so-called "hot deals" offered by the chiseler often turn very sour.

TAVERN UNABLE TO OPEN ON 23RD COURT SUIT SAYS

Possibility that the Tahoe Tavern will not be opened this winter as previously planned loomed this week with a report from Auburn that the Tahoe Tavern Resort Company, through its president, Fred Ichelson, has brought suit against A. J. Flagg and John S. Flagg in the sum of \$25,000 for damages alleged to have been done by the owners of adjoining property.

The suit charges the defendants broke down a sewer disposal plan and made it impossible for the Tavern to be opened as scheduled on December 23.

Phil Davis Still Denies Accident Responsibility

Despite the fact a federal court jury found him guilty of operating a speedboat in a negligent manner, resulting in severing both feet from Imogene Wittsche, Roseville, during a boat accident at Lake Tahoe last summer, Phil Davis, prominent Oakland auto dealer, denies he hit the girl.

This was the gist of a motion filed in the El Dorado County superior court this week by Davis who is defendant in a \$321,000 damage action brought against him as a result of the accident.

Davis was sentenced to serve six months in a federal prison but has obtained a number of stays of execution and is at present at liberty under bail.

Davis' attorney contended that the federal admiralty law limits a person's damage and injury liability in navigable waters to the value of the vessel and its cargo. Davis values his speedboat at \$4,000.

\$4,000 More Sought for Donner Park Road

SACRAMENTO —(W. N. S.)—A request for state funds totalling \$4,000 for additional road construction at the Donner State Park will be considered here by the State Public Works board this week.

H. C. Vincent Jr., secretary of the board, said the funds will augment \$38,250 previously appropriated for the Donner Park for grading, parking areas and roadways.

Santa Coming To Donner Theater As Christmas Nearing

Santa Claus will make his official visit to the Donner Theater Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock and Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Shattuck are inviting all preschool and grammar school children to greet him at that time. Gifts will be presented to each youngster and a Roy Rogers feature with a series of cartoons will provide entertainment for the crowd.

The affair is free of any charge to all the youngsters of the district and everyone is invited.

MILDRED COFFEY NAMED TO HEAD SISTERS LODGE

The Pythian Sisters of Summit Temple 79 nominated and elected the following officers for the coming year at a meeting held Thursday, December 8:

Mildred Coffey, excellent chief; Varian Cooper, excellent senior; Leona Bowen, excellent junior; Muriel Frey, manager; Hazel Roberts, secretary; Lillian Sites, treasurer; Vivian Smith, protector; Marjorie Anderson, guard; Lois Sadochi, pianist; Edith Pfander, installing officer; Pearl Heller, degree staff captain; Hazel Roberts, press correspondent; Theresa Lyons, trustee.

Mrs. William Spratt was feted at a miscellaneous shower following the business meeting. A set of dishes and individual gifts for their new home were given the former Miss Alice Waters and a social hour closed the affair.

HIRSCHDALE SOLD TO SAN PABLO BY J. H. STRICKLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Stricklin who have owned and operated Hirschdale Lodge on the Truckee River eight miles west of here for the past four years announced last week that they are selling the property to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kirby of San Pablo who have already established themselves at Hirschdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Stricklin and son Dale are moving to Truckee and will occupy the Campbell apartment until school closes in the spring. Stricklin has secured a position with an East Bay engineering firm and shortly after the first of the year will commute on weekends, his wife and son remaining here.

The Kirbys have sold property in San Pablo to take over the local resort property. They have three children, two attending local schools. In the bay area the Kirbys operated a service station and rental properties.

The Stricklins purchased Hirschdale from the late Floyd Clark four years ago.

Bud's Electric Dealer For General Electric

Bud Owens of Bud's Fountain and Electric announces that he has obtained a General Electric agency and has received a shipment of GE appliances for Christmas gift shoppers.

Second Son Arrives For Jack Goldsmiths

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goldsmith of Truckee are the proud parents of a baby son born Sunday evening, December 11, at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Hospital in Reno. The eight-pound boy is the second son for the local young couple. Dr. L. D. Nelson reports both mother and baby doing nicely.

OES Christmas Party Slated Next Tuesday

Truckee Chapter No. 116, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold their annual Christmas party following their regular meeting on Tuesday night, December 20. All members and members of other chapters are invited to attend. Each member is to bring a gift for exchange.

This will be the final meeting of the year and the chapter will recess until March.

Basketball Team Wins Third Game In Local Series

The American Legion sponsored Truckee basketball team chalked up a three-game winning streak during the past week after dropping their season opener to the Reno Co-Ops.

Last Thursday night the locals handed a Kings Beach squad a 62 to 30 defeat and Saturday night dropped the Reno Naval Reserve 50 to 28. Last night they travelled to Loyalton and drubbed their hosts 71 to 55.

During the coming week the Truckee team will play the De Luxe Taxi team of Reno here on Saturday night, travel to the old University Gym in Reno for a game with the Naval Reserve and next Wednesday will play Loyalton here.

Coach John Rau announced that John Lambres of Norden and Bill Spratt of Truckee have joined the town squad while Jay Rablin turned in his suit when he left to join the Navy.

The Tahoe Truckee High School basketball team, making its first appearance in Nevada, nosed out the Fernley Vaqueros 27 to 25 in a torrid game last Friday night. Three overtime periods were required before Dick Loynd sank the winning basket.

There were a number of fouts with each club losing three regulars via this route in the second half. The score was tied 11-11 at half time.

Rufe Gregory, local coach, gave fine team play and spirit credit for the victory.

GENERAL SLUMP IN STATE TRAVEL REFLECTED HERE

A sharp drop in travel entering California through the Truckee quarantine station was noted in reports compiled by the state department of agriculture, which showed that during November only 16,901 autos were checked here as compared to 25,274 during October.

This same slump was noted in other border stations as the total for the state dropped from 169,246 in October to 139,960 last month.

Commercial vehicles through here, however, showed an increase of 10 with 2,084 for October and 2,094 for November.

Total passengers in the checked westbound traffic was 54,278 as compared with 76,374 for the preceding month.

Stateline on Highway 50 reported 3663 autos, 245 trucks and a total of 9033 passengers.

Blythe with 20,341 cars and Yermo with 24,580 were the only stations on California's borders to exceed the Truckee figures, the report shows. Both these stations are in southern California.

Movies of Utah Trip Shown at Lions Club

Motion pictures of his recent vacation trip to Utah were shown to members of the Lions Club last night by W. M. Englehart Sr. Robert Gifford was the program chairman and B. W. Reynolds presided. Bill Bottell, Truckee Boy Scout master, was a guest for the meeting.

Tow Truck Ditched While Helping Tourist

His attempt to give aid to a stranded motorist three miles east of Reno Saturday nearly ended in disaster for Mel Thornton of Thornton's Garage.

Driving east to pull a large truck from a snowbank on Highway 40, Thornton was flagged down by the motorist and when he applied the brakes to stop, the big 8-wheel tow truck skidded on the icy pavement and overturned, ripping out a section of fence. Thornton fortunately escaped injury in the mishap.

Sanitary District Sets Rate; Name Morris Manager

Rates are Upped 40 Cents,
Jewelry Store Pay
Station

A minimum of \$1.75 per month for each 30 gallon container in the residential section and the existing charge in the business district are the rates established for garbage collection by the Truckee Sanitary District at Monday's meeting.

This represents an increase of 40 cents per month for householders over the current charge being made by the Truckee Public Utility District. This additional charge is expected, according to Superintendent Fred Morris, to provide for increased costs in maintaining the sanitary district functions.

While for the time being the commercial rates will remain the same as currently charged, adjustments will be made from time to time to equalize the program, Morris said.

Regular Schedule

The sanitary district takes over the program January 1 and statements will be issued in advance for service. The collector, Garing McGee, will make weekly garbage collections in residential areas and will pick up as required in the business section. A regular schedule will be worked out, Morris said, to provide the maximum service throughout the district. It is expected that individual charges will be made for service outside the district including Gateway and Meadow Parks.

Cardinal Appointed

In order to take the position as district superintendent, Morris resigned as a member of the board and Heslin Cardinal was appointed to fill the vacancy. Other members of the board are H. H. Hodson, president; T. T. Buell, Joe Mattos and Dave Rose.

The Johnston Jewelry store has been designated as the place for making payments which are due the first of each month and which become delinquent on the 10th. Bills may also be paid by direct mail to the district, Morris said.

Morris said that the employment of a superintendent was deemed advisable since the state health laws provide that the disposal plants be given daily attendance and also for the purpose of directing the maintenance of repairs and improvements in the system.

Table Contract

The board tabled a contract presented by an out-of-town concern proposing to install trash cans along the main street for the purpose of using them as advertising billboards, the owner to maintain the cans and collect the revenue derived from the ads. The contract was for a five year period. Some members of the board expressed approval of the cans already installed by the Truckee 20-30 Club and felt that in event these become inadequate in the future that new ones can be secured without the signboard motif.

Cost to local merchants for maintaining the cans through anticipated advertising would approximate \$500 a month, one member of the board said.

President Hodson said that Morris will assume his duties as superintendent of the district on January 1, the same time McGee takes over the collection duties. Bills for January service will be mailed out prior to that time.

Simons Move to Valley As Transfer is Made

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simon and children, Richard and Kitty, moved to Sacramento yesterday where Simon was transferred to the Town and Country branch of Bank of America. Simon will again work with James Owens, former manager of the local bank and now holding that position in Sacramento.

Laurie Nielsen of Fair Oaks will temporarily replace Simon here.

McGlades' Son Born Yesterday in Reno

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGlade became the parents of a husky boy born in St. Mary's Hospital Wednesday, December 14. The lad has been named John Patrick and weighed 8 pounds 11 ounces. Stanley Rasmussen, Mrs. McGlade's older son, is in the same hospital rapidly recovering from a broken leg sustained in an accident last week.

Summit Scene

by FRAN COUILLARD

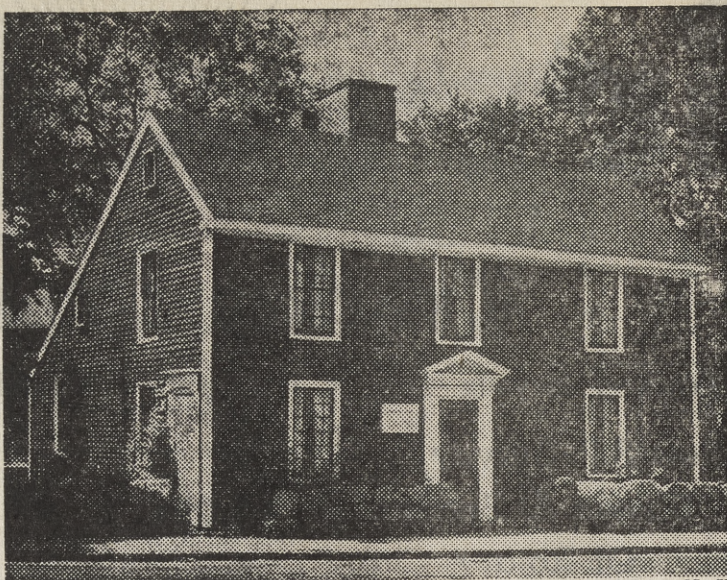
We get slightly confused by the number of wing dings reported on last week. Our stamina exhausts itself to the point where we cannot attend all of them but our scouts report:

That Kit Schull's birthday party was a huge success at Kiski Lodge and we know that the cake must have been divine—built, as it were, under mama Lola's capable and artistic hands.

Speaking of Lola, she was proud and happy to take her place at the head of the huge assembly at the Donner Elementary School House last Thursday evening in the capacity of the Donner Community Club president for the coming year. Jim Sherritt beamed as he was elected unanimously from the floor as vice president. Wanda Misener holds the pencil as secretary and John Carl carries the substantial sum of money under the title of 1950 treasurer. Proceeds from Nick the wooden horse mounted

as the audience of over a hundred witnessed the worn and beaten curtain falling in the midst of the performance and it became known the proceeds from Nick go toward a new school curtain. The Donner Community Club carried on in its tradition of giving the annual Christmas party for the children of the area and the children more than retaliated in the fine performance given for their parents. Thirty youngsters, curled and scrubbed to pink shyness, dressed in surplises with large white collars, carried their

President Born in Salt-Box



By Ewing Galloway, N. Y.

This house, the birthplace and home of John Quincy Adams, the sixth President, still stands in Quincy, Mass. A true example of the salt-box style of architecture, the house has a long sloping roof coming close to the ground in the rear. The roof now is covered with fire-resistant asphalt shingles like those protecting modern American homes. Sidewalls are clapboard and, for color contrast, the trim is painted white. Built about 1663, the house was restored in 1896.

red Christmas carol books and marched upon the stage looking like 30 angels. The tableaux of decorating the Christmas tree and the Wise Men looking into the Manger under the huge star of Bethlehem, flanked by blonde angels and backgrounded by soft music, were awe inspiring. The first performance of the orchestra brought forth beaming countenances on the faces of parents. R. L. Robinson of Colfax was responsible for the visit of Santa Claus and admits he got more kick out of it than the kids.

Members of the school board, teachers from Tahoe City and visitors from out of town attended to take a tour of the new school as well as to witness the goings on. We give thanks to our efficient committee, to Marie Strickland for her hard work in

making up tickets and programs, to Wanda Misener, Lola Schull and Liz Pierson for their stocking filling, to Betty Horak, Barbara Zorich and to Madyon Walton and Margot Nordstrum as the Santa Claus committee. The parents give tribute to teachers Olia Tiffie and Pat Bowman for their unceasing work in making the children's party the huge success that it was.

The teasing snow storm of Friday night followed by the blast of cold wind that turned the roads into icy sheets did not stop over 200 mountain folk from attending the open house at Rainbow Tavern. Greeting each guest as they came in were Mr. and Mrs. Brant Chaplin and Bill and Rita Vail. Tables were removed from the lovely dining room and it became a ball room which had a crowded floor due to an excellent orchestra. On every table, bar and desk were plates loaded with canapes and appetizers. As if this were not enough, a buffet supper was set up around midnight that made the tables fairly groan under turkey, baked ham, salads and the rest of it. From Colfax came Jack and Alice Walsh; from Emigrant Gap, Herstie Jones and his staff and Doc and Ruth Widing from Rancho Sierra. From

Truckee we saw familiar faces; from Reno came the Emmons and the Kronmeyers and in between we believe that every lodge, hotel and business was represented by their respective operators.

Whilst the above was going on, Doc and Ruth Widing invited one and all to the same type of wing dinging on next evening. This we could not make but when our scouts come in we'll give you a better report.

Bob Masterson and John Caruso report that the fixing up of the Emigrant Gap Hotel after its recent fire is about completed and that another grand opening is in the offing.

We squeezed in an evening at Ice Lakes last week where we witnessed a movie. Bill Rutherford tells us that the new equipment purchased by Ice Lakes will be used a couple of times a week for guest entertainment.

Out the window we witnessed ice skaters gliding past on the pond. "Little Jack" Walsh, all six feet four of him, has taken over the Auburn Ski Club. Jack is installing a new Ruden rope tow and praying for enough of the stuff that winter resorts are made of to get going shortly.

Tom Vicencio has a new name

for the quaint hut on the Cisco ski hill, "Sitzski of Cisco", and has added length to the tows, has painted and redraped Cam Rounage's old place and reports a pretty good booking for his first year as an operator on the hill. Vic Anderson takes over Rolly Galloway's Summit Sport Shop and has ordered a great many new supplies and faces the coming season with a lot of courage and pep.

At this time, will say that the district deeply sympathizes with Muriel Jones in the loss of her father, Tom Hunt, with whom she had hunted, fished and been an all around companion.

Edvi and Betty Aro send us a small square envelope from Millbrae. It's a girl, Lynn Christine.

The Soda Springs Ski Corporation, to celebrate the opening of the Herron double chair lift, give promise of a cocktail party at Donner Summit Lodge which will be followed by a weiner roast atop Beacon Hill.

Maria Schuster is about to become a bride at a ceremony to be held in Carmel. We haven't met Charles Millard Patten as yet but did see Maria last Sunday, complete with pre-wedding jitters.

ROSE BROS. Truckee Public Market

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GERBER'S STRAINED BABY FOODS	07c	WINESAP APPLES POUND	07c

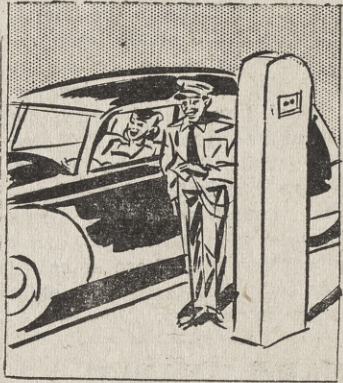
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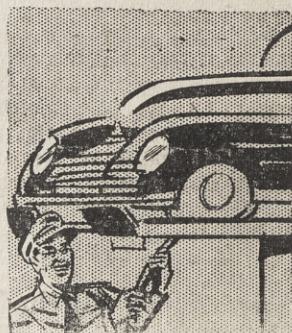
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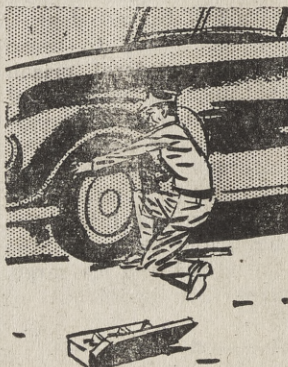
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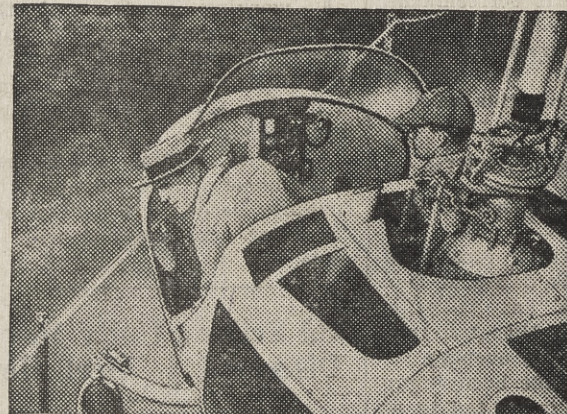
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Tahoe Youngsters Will Have Two Parties On Last Day of School

TAHOE CITY—Two Christmas parties will be enjoyed by the students of Tahoe Lake School on Friday, December 16, last day of school for the calendar year. The first will be a room party in the afternoon and will be conducted

by each teacher for their own classes. Children will receive gifts from the teacher and from each other.

The second is a community program prepared annually by the teachers and pupils for presentation to the general public. Beginning at 7:30 in the evening, the projected schedule begins with the pageant-like Nativity

Utility District Spends Over \$2,000 Improving Tahoe City Commons

TAHOE CITY—During the past summer and fall the Tahoe Public Utility District has spent over \$2,000 on the Tahoe Commons, the public beach and lake front at Tahoe City has been cleaned up and the beach leveled. The improvements will provide Tahoe City with a good swimming beach and facilities for launching small fishing boats from trailers.

R. Thomas donated a day's work with his bulldozer, leveling and clearing the beach.

Arch Removed—

The large archway of the Cedars entrance to Tahoe Tavern has been removed. It was built by the late Robert M. Watson in 1928.

directed by Mrs. Dorothy Johanson. Next will be community singing led by Gerald Waters. An accordion solo by Jerry Quam and a tap dance by Sandra Humburg will follow. The tonette band and the Tahoe Lake orchestra, including resident high school students, will present several numbers before the culminating event—the appearance of Santa who will distribute candy to the children. The candy is in part community-donated and in part student-body donated.

Polio Benefit Dance at Lake Saturday Is Pronounced Success

TAHOE CITY—Dancing and merry-making were enjoyed by the capacity crowd of more than 120 Saturday night at the benefit dance sponsored by the Lake Tahoe Ski Club.

Originally planned to be held at the community center, the affair was held at the Tahoe Inn through the courtesy of Bill Becholdt. Highly commended from the outset, the four-piece orchestra proved equally capable of providing slow old time waltzes and fox trots for social dancing and snappy old-country tunes for folk dancing. While initially a four-piece orchestra with Nick Thomas at the piano, Roberta Record on the accordion, Tony Ralphs on banjo and Phil Olander on bass viol, it expanded and added Dick Clark with his guitar and Bill Jenkinson pinch-hitting at bass.

In addition to the orchestra, Mrs. Beulah Carnell, dance chairman, praised the work of Mrs. Jake Stuart and Mrs. Blanche Donaldson, both working with the refreshments, and all those who donated sandwiches and soft drinks. Proceeds from the dance will be contributed to the March of Dimes fund for combating poliomyelitis—infantile paralysis.

Ski Club Alters Hour of Meeting Friday

TAHOE CITY—The Lake Tahoe Ski Club held a short meeting Friday with R. R. Gilbert, second vice president, presiding. After hearing reports on the Community Christmas program, the town ski hill development, the polio benefit dance and community activities, the club voted to push the time of the December 16 meeting up to 9 p.m. to avoid conflict with the Tahoe Lake School program. An important meeting of the board of directors will be held on this Friday. All board members are requested to be present. Movies will be shown.

HEADLIGHTS, FOG LIGHTS
SACRAMENTO —(W.N.S.)—Headlights and fog lights at the same time are illegal, Clifford E. Peterson, state highway patrol commissioner, warns. He said that either headlights or fog lights should be used but not together and urged that headlight beams in fog be kept low.

Adult Education Class In Folk Dancing Is Planned for January

TAHOE CITY—The Tahoe Lake School PTA met for their last formal meeting of the calendar year on Monday, December 12. The members brought their favorite recipes, a part of the cook book which will eventually be compiled by the organization. Principal business centered about the adult education class in folk dancing and square dancing which is planned to start early in January.

A committee was formed, the members of which will canvass the several areas embraced by the school district to determine how many adults will enroll in the tuition-free class.

A special meeting was set for January 12, with all parents urged to attend. The meeting, to begin at 8 p.m., will be for the purpose of parent-previewing and discussion of the health education film "Human Growth."

The next regular meeting will be the fourth Thursday in January. To this meeting parents are requested to bring discarded toys

and casserole recipes for the carnival.

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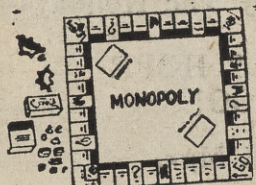
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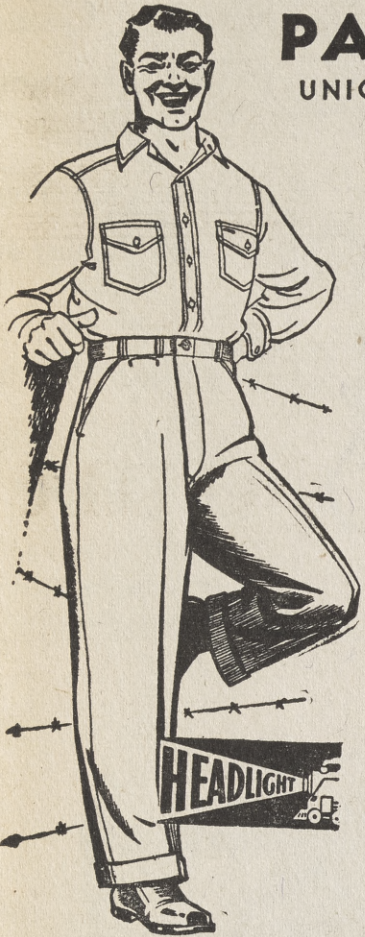
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And further notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1949, at 2:00 o'clock P.M., in front of Millsite, Donner Lake, County of Nevada, State of California, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said Charles H. McDonald, Albert Aguilar and Robert W. Craig, individually and doing business under the fictitious firm name and style of Highlands Sugar Pine Company, Grace LaRue, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary, at PUBLIC AUCTION for cash in money of the United States, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.
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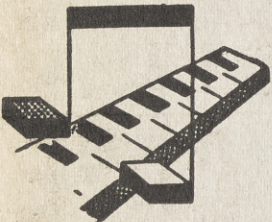
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James Wheat is Named Sanitarian's Secretary At Meeting in San Jose

The two day annual meeting of the northern section of the National Association of Sanitarians was held early this month in San Jose. The Placer County health department was represented by James A. Wheat, chief sanitarian of the department, who was installed as secretary.

Among topics covered at the convention were food handling, smog conditions and legal aspects of water pollution, water supplies and sewage.

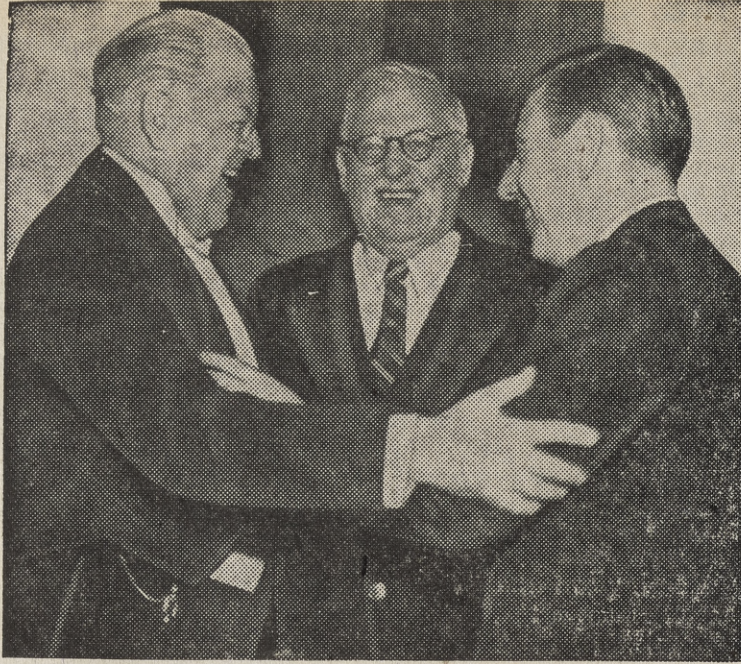
Beside Wheat, other officers installed were James Skillin, University of California, president; James Stephenson, Berkeley, vice president, and Royal Hodge, San Mateo, treasurer.

Tahoe City Siren Test Scheduled on Sunday

TAHOE CITY—Local residents need not be alarmed Sunday at 1 p.m. when the Tahoe City fire siren is sounded. Chief Al Henry Jr. of the Tahoe City Volunteer Fire Department this week announced that the siren is to be tested at that time on December 18.

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Off-Duty Laugh for U.N. Delegates



Enjoying a brief respite from their strenuous duties at the United Nations Assembly, representatives of the "Big Three" indulge in a joke at a social gathering. Left to right they are: Ambassador Warren R. Austin of the U.S.A.; Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky of the USSR; and H. E. Hector McNeill of the United Kingdom.

At Taft—

Mrs. Jody Maher, Meeks Bay summer resident, is living at Taft, Calif., for the winter months.

Tahoe City Post Office Will Open All Day Saturday for Yule Mail

TAHOE CITY—The Tahoe City Post Office will be open all day Saturday, December 17, Postmaster Oliver Corona reminded residents today. This will permit residents busy during the week to handle their package mailing. The following Saturday, December 24, will be the usual half-day. Monday, December 26, the post office will be closed except for one hour except when parcel post delivery will be accomplished.

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Placer County Seal Sale Nets Fourth of Quota In First Week of Drive

Residents of Placer County contributed a total of \$1,224.80 during the first week of the 1949 Christmas Sale of Seals and returns continue to come in as the campaign progresses, Mrs. Frank Bonito, county Seal Sale chairman, reports.

The Seal Sale, which will continue until December 25, is the sole annual appeal made by the Placer County Tuberculosis Association for funds to support its tuberculosis prevention and control.

With the quota for the Seal Sale in Placer County set at \$5,000, the first week's total returns represent 24 per cent of the goal, Mrs. Bonito pointed out.

"Although the campaign will continue until Christmas day, we greatly appreciate having returns made promptly," Mrs. Bonito said. "Early returns, before the heavy rush of Christmas mail, place less burden on the post office. And they encourage the association in the belief that it will be able to put its plans for

an expanded program of tuberculosis prevention and control into effect early in the new year."

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

December 2, 1949

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Truckee Elementary SCHOOL NEWS

ACCIDENT AT SCHOOL

—by Marie Osburn
On Wednesday, December 7, an accident occurred at the Truckee Elementary School when Stanley Rasmussen, 11, fell while playing on the playground and broke his leg. The doctor came immediately and after careful examination, Stanley was taken to the St. Mary's Hospital in Reno. He has a compound fracture and the doctors say he will be unable to move from his bed for six weeks. The pupils of the Truckee Elementary School wish him a speedy recovery and a Merry Christmas.

COMING AND GOING

—by Alberta Cooper
Karen Knoefler from San Juan Capistrano Beach, Calif., has just entered the first grade in Truckee and her sister Suzanne Knoefler is in the sixth grade. Nancy Harper is leaving Truckee and is going to Indianapolis, Indiana.

5TH AND 6TH GRADES

—by Duane Knight
Mr. Kishbaugh's class is having a school party on December 16. In this party they are having many things, they are exchanging names and are putting presents under the tree.

FIRST GRADE

This week Mrs. Brown's room has a castle trimmed with silver and gold paper. They also have a large Santa Claus and his reindeer.

The chart reading is about Christmas now. Some of the children will start to read in "Bill and Susan" after Christmas.

CHRISTMAS VACATION

—by Raymond Dixon
The students of the Truckee Elementary School get a two weeks vacation, starting on Friday, December 16 and ending January 3, 1950.

On Friday the 7th and 8th grades are having a Christmas party. Also on Friday there will be an exchanging of gifts among the pupils in the 7th and 8th grades.

RED CROSS BOXES

—by Sharon Pace
Mrs. Gunter left two Red Cross boxes in each room to fill for the poor children over in foreign countries.

Mrs. Brown's room has filled half of one box and are planning to start on the other one. Mrs. Borneman's room hasn't started on theirs yet but they are going to start soon. Mrs. Gage's room has finished their two boxes. Mr. Kishbaugh's pupils have filled about three-quarters of each box as have those in Mr. Welch's room.

MRS. BORNEMAN'S ROOM

—by Eugene Carrillo
Mrs. Borneman's class is decorating the room with the decorations that the children have made. Their room is going to have a Christmas party on December 16 at 1 o'clock and will exchange gifts. After that they will go for their Christmas vacation.

THE HAMSTER

—by Jesse Rablin
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Star-Lites

by Lyn Wilson

"The Prince of Peace" Top Christmas Program

THE CHRISTMAS SEASON gives radio ample opportunity to provide the listening public with excellent programs, and the airwaves do not disappoint the listeners, either. One of the outstanding programs at Christmas, as well as throughout the year, is "The Greatest Story Ever Told," which has given the public the best radio entertainment for the past three years.

Each Christmas season, "The Greatest Story Ever Told" presents a special Christmas series of programs. This year, on the Sundays of December 18 and 25, (5:30, EST over the ABC network) this program will tell the story of the nativity in two parts, under the title of "The Prince of Peace."

The story is an engrossing one, told in a dramatic, exciting way, with the Three Kings seeking their way to the Christ Child; with the shepherds wondering at the strange feeling in the air; and over all of this the constant movement of masses of people, going back to their native homes to be counted.

It is a story of the coming of Christ to both rich and poor alike, with the poor being the first to see Him. But more than simply being the story of the Nativity, these programs point out the fact that rich and poor, capital and labor, any groups or any individuals—all of them have in common the heritage of The Saviour. All of them, especially now, should remember that, and let it be part of their daily lives.

This is a story no one should miss hearing on those two Sundays.

Giant earthworms, which sometimes reach ten feet in length and an inch across, abound in Bass Valley, Australia.

children to play with them. The golden hamsters are a golden brown. They were first discovered in Syria in 1930. They were brought to the United States in 1938 and were allowed in California in 1948. The hamsters have been found ideal for many types of laboratory work.

I brought my hamsters to school recently. Their names are Pokey and Speed.

3RD AND 4TH GRADES

—by Francine McCurdy
The 3rd and 4th grades Christmas party committee is as follows: Jesse Rablin, chairman; Sharon Van Uden, Nancy Marquis, Patsy Smisek, cleaning; Roy Arthurs, program; Doris Van Uden, Olivia Dugan; Floyd Cooper and George Gregory, take down tree; Irene Englehart, gifts.

Our room mother, Mrs. Barney Phipps, has appointed the following mothers to assist with our party: Mrs. John Rablin, Mrs. Bill Reisinger, Mrs. Ralph Mayo and Mrs. John McCurdy.

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Foresters Predict Record Season in California For Ski Sports Industry

It's merry ski-time in California and indications are that more skiers will be tracking the white mountain slopes this season than ever before.

"California region led all other regions of the U. S. Forest Service last year, with a total of 580,000 visits to ski areas on National Forests," says Millard

M. Barnum, assistant regional forester at San Francisco, "but that was just a fair season, because of unfavorable mid-winter weather. We expect California will maintain its leading position this year and go on to exceed the previous best record — the 650,000 visits in the pre-war ski season of 1940-41."

California has 75 winter sports areas. According to Barnum, 40 of them are in National Forests, 33 are on private land within National Forest boundaries and

two are in National Parks.

In order to save taxpayers' money and cooperate with private enterprise, the U. S. Forest Service does not construct lodges, ski lifts, etc., but instead issues "special use" permits to enterprisers who are willing and qualified to construct and operate such facilities at ski areas on National Forest lands. Ski slopes there are for free use by the public but permittees are allowed to charge a reasonable fee for use of private National Forest boundaries and vately financed facilities.

Administrators, Teachers Of School District Enjoy Social Evening

TAHOE CITY— The Tahoe Truckee Joint Unified School District dinner and get together December 5 at Tahoe Lake School was acclaimed a success by those attending. Hostess Mrs. Myrtle Gallinger joined the guests in appreciation of the artistic decorations created by Mrs. Dorothy Johanson and in the enjoyment of a tasty turkey dinner prepared by Mrs. Blanche Donaldson, and modestly belittled her own part in the preparations and decorations.

The three long tables, seating 37 diners, were arranged in a U-shape, the white table cloths providing a sharp, simple background for the rows of white candles surrounded by lodge pole pine boughs and silver-tinted cones. The decorated Christmas tree at one end of the room faced two built up, beribboned Jeffery pine boughs on the opposite wall. On the side wall a four-foot wreath of pine sprays and cones, wired, were set off by bright red ribbon.

Guests of honor were Stanley and Ma Martin, Walter and Claudia Loynd, William Rutherford, Father Patrick O'Neill, Gordon Stafford, District Superintendent and Mrs. E. V. O'Rourke, Miriam Gunter, Frances Hunt and the administrators and teachers of the five schools of the district and their respective husbands and wives. Other guests were teachers and administrators from Alpine County including County Superintendent Gladys Loganbill, Mrs. June Thrane, Ward Hatfield and Judge and Mrs. L. A. Love.

Late-comer King Douglas, music teacher, and Frances Hunt led Yule songs after dinner. Folk dancing, led by Miss Hunt, followed the singing. Surprise of the evening was the presentation of a birthday cake to Stan Martin.

Tahoe Legion Schedules Turkey Shoot Sunday

TAHOE CITY— Tahoe Post 718, American Legion, announced Monday a pre-Christmas turkey shoot will be held on the Tahoe City Golf Course this Sunday, December 18. The shoot, which will open at 10 a. m., will parallel the cancelled shoot which was scheduled for pre-Thanksgiving but which was put off when weather reports indicated severe storms. An open shoot, both large and small bore rifles may enter, as well as pistols. Refreshments will be available.

Recognizing the weather threat, Legionnaires said the shoot will be held regardless of weather.

News Clippings Sought By Tahoe Lake PTA

TAHOE CITY— Mrs. Lenora Bartell, publicity chairman for the Tahoe Lake PTA, has requested all members or interested persons to check old newspaper files for clippings on the association. The present organization, organized a year ago, is starting a scrap book on its activities. Material may be sent to Mrs. Bartell of this city or may be brought to the next regular meeting in January.

Dinner Marks Birthday Of John Carnell, One

TAHOE CITY— Mrs. Richard Carnell gave a dinner December 7 in honor of their son, John, on his first birthday. Present at the dinner were Pete Vanni, his Godfather; Don Prusso, and Mrs. Floyd Carnell, his grandmother.

Orange County was organized in 1889.

Grazing in This Area Was Below Average Forest Service Reports

About 4600 cattle and 25,000 sheep grazed on the Tahoe National Forest during the summer of 1949. This is exclusive of lambs and small calves.

Cattle moved to fall and winter pastures off the National Forest in September and October. Most stockmen reported cattle conditions as being less than average

due to poor growing conditions this year.

About half the sheep permitted on the National Forest return to winter range in Nevada. The California sheep go to the foothill country or to stubble fields in the Sacramento Valley. Sheepmen in most cases shipped their lambs to the market early because of feed and market conditions.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Governing Board of the Tahoe Truckee Joint Unified School District, Tahoe City, Placer County, California, at the office of the District Superintendent, Tahoe Lake Elementary School House, Tahoe City, California, until eight o'clock p. m., December 20, 1949, at which place and time bids will be opened for the purchase of one (1) school bus with the capacity of 42 or 43 High School passengers.

The above bus shall meet all requirements of the State of California in every respect as set forth by the State Department of Education and California Highway Patrol.

The Governing Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any irregularities, and to be the sole judge of the suitability of equipment offered.

By Order of the Board of Trustees, Tahoe-Truckee Joint Unified School District. William Rutherford, Clerk.

Signed: William Rutherford
Dated: December 1, 1949 d1,8,15

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Worthy Matron
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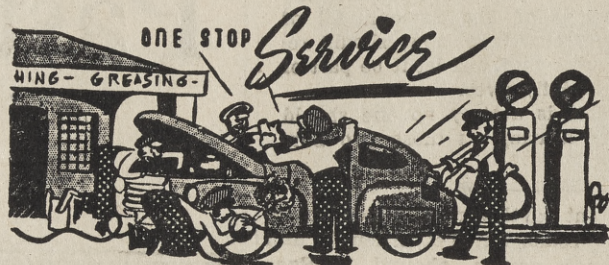
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North Tahoe

by T. BURROUGHS

The Cochran of Kings Beach safely negotiated Donner and the Truckee short cut only to overturn their car near Kings Beach on the snowy road. Neither oc-

cupant was seriously injured although both were badly shaken up.

Ace Abbott arrived by train in Truckee Saturday afternoon and was rested up enough from his long journey to attend the much talked of Mock Wedding which took place at the Carpenter's Hall under the direction of the very, very active Women's Club of North Tahoe.

The program grossed around \$300, giving the ladies over \$200 above all expenses. A wonderful time was had by those present. The only complaint being that the wedding was too short and that's proof it wasn't dull. Alice Sorensen, president of the club, thanks all those assisting in making this an affair to be remembered. Especially does she wish to thank Ruth Misner and Leon Shook for the music and Bob Dennis for the speaker system. Those at the refreshment table did a swell job too.

Mildred and Snowden Burch celebrated their 29th wedding anniversary last week with dinner at Eugene's Chalet.

Our Girl Scouts of Kings Beach have a number. They are a regular Troop No. 1 and beginning their work of making sprays for your Christmas pleasure. They meet at the home of Alice Sorensen Monday night next week.

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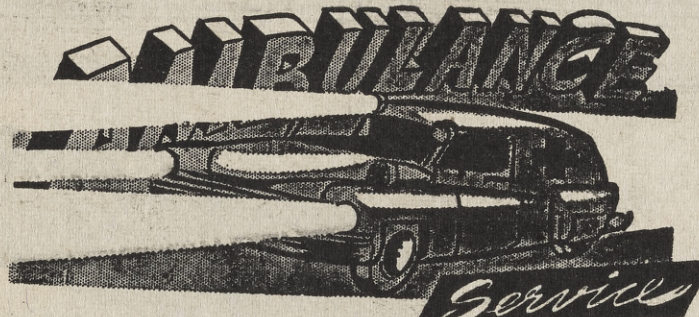
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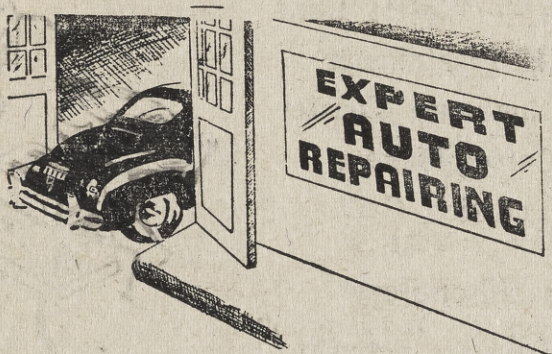
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Ruth Lavery celebrates her birthday this week. Jacquie Abbott celebrated her birthday with a party for many of her young friends on Monday night, December 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Parr with their two children have just returned from a short trip to Los Angeles to find their water pipes all frozen.

Mildred and Snowden Burch will leave right away to spend Christmas with their daughter in Mountain View.

The library is beginning to be used. New as it is, we already have books out.

Bud and Micky Mandeville are among those driving around a new Chevrolet.

Brockway Rotary held its regular meeting at the home of Dr. John Keys in Tahoe Vista last Monday with President Tom Lucas presiding and a 100 per cent attendance.

The committee report on ladies night on December 16 at the Buckhorn promises a big time for all.

Report by the Rotary representative on the North Tahoe Community Christmas Committee indicated everything is progressing nicely. The tree is lighted and stands in front of the Recreation Center. Contributions are coming

in a bit short of the goal. Around \$275 is available at present with about \$125 pending. Any individual wishing to contribute to this fund may mail their contribution to Peter Svendsen at Crystal Bay, making checks payable to the North Tahoe Christmas Committee. Mulford Miles is Rotary committeeman.

Roy Poarth led the quartet with many songs.

Steve Lombard, governor of Rotary District 164, was present to officially welcome the Brockway Rotary which is the baby of all Rotary clubs to date. He praised the Brockway Rotary for its excellent attendance record which has averaged over 98 per cent all the way through and the club's community activities, saying that a great many of much older and more financially able clubs have done a lot less. He especially liked Secretary E. J. Stokes' work and complimented him highly. The youth program came in for favorable comment.

He mentioned with emphasis that Rotary International is the only organization of its kind recognized by the United Nations and that it has a great deal of influence there. He expressed the wish to see all clubs in his district 100 per cent supporters of the Paul Harris Foundation. His main text was "The Four Objects of Rotary" with special emphasis on the third and fourth which involve community interests and international service toward lasting peace and understanding.

The ceramics class has proved such a success that by popular vote it was decided that a photography class under the direction of Robert Dennis, well known Tahoe resident, might do all right too. This class, if carried out, can be arranged for either Monday or Friday night. Applications are being taken for classes to commence immediately after the holidays. If you are interested send a post card to Bob Dennis, Box 247, Kings Beach. There will have to be 25 participants to insure the success of this very interesting subject. Bob's experience of 20 years in photography is wide and varied enough to suit the interest of everyone.

The boys of North Tahoe who play basketball at our new recreation center are learning the

My Place In the Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

The boys of the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department had a call last Saturday night about five to whet their appetites for the ladies night dinner at Donner Lake Lodge later that evening. Mrs. Ernest Towler's kitchen stove got overheated and she called the volunteers. Quick action and no harm done. Which brings up a point. Chief Tom Dolley again asks that citizens curb their curiosity at least ten minutes after the siren sounds and don't bother the telephone operators asking where the fire is. They can't give you the information and it only delays the notification of the members of the fire department—and you time such a delay may cost YOU a lot of misery and money. Use your phone if necessary but don't clutter up the board out of curiosity. Remember, the telephone switchboard is a vital part of YOUR fire protection system.

Bud Zorich got a three column picture spread in last Sunday's SF Chronicle sport section...looking happy on skis...Ardell Bottell relieving some of the Christmas season strain at the Truckee post office...Karen Walker observed her second birthday on Sunday...she's the daughter of Toggery Jim and Mrs. W...Father Jerry Boland actively agitating for a street light somewhere in the neighborhood of where Church St. crosses the highway...does get mighty dark down there at night...Dropped in at Bud's for one of his grilled sandwiches and a hot chocolate just in time to have lunch with a group of pre-debs from the high school...Thence to Loynd's where Gladys Pedley and Miriam Zwarg were pausing to refresh...along side of a mountain of Christmas candy...Rosita Reynolds and her girls decorating the Christmas tree at Sarge's...with some expert heckling from the Sarge himself...Thought I was hearing things but I have collaboration that there was a flock of geese over town during Friday night's baby blizzard...Fun's fun kids, but the Marine Corps wants back their recruiting sign taken from in front of the Post Office on Halloween...those things cost money...if you know where it is, tell me and I'll pass the word on.

More Businesses, Lower Sales Volume Seen In State Board Report

SACRAMENTO (W. N. S.)—Although retail trade outlets in California showed slight increase on June 30 over January 1, the percentage of taxable sales in the state was down 1.14 per cent for the second quarter of the year, reports the state board of equalization.

In Nevada County, there were 792 trade outlets on January 1 and 793 on June 30, according to the report. At the same time, the board reported \$3,786,000 in taxable sales in the county for the second quarter of 1949, indicating a 5.37 per cent decrease over the second quarter of 1948.

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bad features of a cement floor. It's crippling effect upon feet and ankles may change a lot of future building designs.

Bud Zorich Predicts Banner Season in Summit Ski Region

SODA SPRINGS—George (Bud) Zorich, instructor at the Soda Springs Ski School, this week said he expects the Donner Summit area will see one of its best ski seasons this winter.

He announced that the new double chair ski lift will be ready for the first serious skiers' snow. The lift will carry between 600 and 800 people an hour, Zorich said. Kay Jansen is the new manager of Soda Springs Ski Corporation and the ski school is under the supervision of Fridl Pfeiffer of Aspen, Colo.

Zorich, a fully certified instructor, was a member of the famed 10th Mountain Division (skiing infantry) which saw much action during the late war. A Truckee boy, Zorich was a member of the Truckee high school ski team and before entering the army was co-captain of the Sacramento College ski team, winning two letters in the sport.

Before going to Soda Springs he was co-director of the ski school at Hill Top Lodge in Truckee. Last year he won the state professional slalom and down

Father of Summit Man Passes on Tuesday

SODA SPRINGS—William Vail of Loomis, well known in the Donner Summit area, passed away in his home city at 7 a.m. Tuesday, according to word received here. He was the father of William Vail, former manager of Soda Springs Hotel now at Rainbow Tavern.

Substances in Milk

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mountain races at Strawberry. Zorich said tentative plans call for free skiing instructions for younger skiers during slack periods this winter.

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The said sale will be closed and consummated and the agreed purchase price and consideration of said sale will be paid on the above date and hour at Bank of America NT&SA in the town of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California.

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AT ELKS' DINNER
Truckee Elks who traveled to Reno Saturday night to attend the annual Uncle Dan's Dinner included Charles White, Joe Matos, John Moretta, Si Perkins, Nace Firpo and George Carter.

From Montana
Mrs. Everett Halliwell of Hardin, Montana, was here this week to visit her brother, Fay Farrar, and family. Farrar has been ill at his home for the past several weeks.

OPEN EVENINGS
A. M. Anderson of the Village Store in Tahoe City announces that the store will be opened evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. December 19, 20 and 21 for Christmas shoppers. The store is featuring a large selection of winter sports items.

Appendectomy
Mrs. Kenneth Faulkner returned from Reno on Sunday following an appendectomy performed there last week.

Free Gardenias For Union Service Opening

Ed Hellar's Union Station at Commercial Row and Bridge Streets will be officially opened Saturday, December 17. For the opening day, Hellar will present the ladies calling at the station with gardenias and each child will be presented with a coin bank. The station will be open from 7 a.m. until 12 p.m.

State Highway Jobs Open Until Jan. 5

Applications for a job with the State Division of Highways as equipment operators and laborers will be accepted by the State Personnel Board until January 5, 1950, it has been announced. The positions start with a salary of \$243 a month and positions will be filled state-wide. Information may be obtained from the State Personnel Board, 1015 L Street, Sacramento.

C. P. Goode Heads Horsemen in Yolo

Claire P. Goode, former Truckee resident who left here several years ago with his family to ranch near Woodland, has been elected president of the Yolo County Horsemen's Association to succeed Lloyd Eveland, according to word from Woodland. Goode was active in horse exhibitions here and was in charge of several rodeos in the area.

Visit Capital
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Coffey and children were Sacramento visitors this week.
Business Trip
Dave Rose of the Truckee Public Market was a Quincy business visitor early this week.

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CHAMBER MEETING
A short meeting of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce will be held at the chamber office tonight, Mrs. George Kamp, secretary, announced. The meeting will be between 7:30 and 8 p.m. to permit those wishing to attend the Dog Derby meeting which will follow to do so.

Christmas in L.A.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frazier of Lake Forest are leaving soon to spend Christmas with their son, James, and family in Los Angeles.

Birthday Anniversary
Jean Wakefield, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Wakefield, was three years old on Wednesday, December 14.

Visits at Tahoma
Mervin Brenner of San Francisco, who is building a summer home at Tahoma, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Sunkel while inspecting work on his home nearby.

Frazier is New Prexy Of Lake Forest Club

LAKE FOREST—Ray Frazier was named president of the Lake Forest Community Club at a meeting held last week, replacing Ted Finger, who resigned. Sam Goss was selected as vice president of the club which is reorganizing for the purpose of furthering several important local projects. The regular election of officers will be held in July. The club boasts a membership of 100.

Brother Visits
Master Sgt. Roy Martinson left Sunday to report for reassignment following a short visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Rylander. He recently returned from two years duty overseas, having spent several months as an aircraft engineer during the German air lift service.



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—phone orders carefully filled and delivered at no added cost with the same courtesies extended to personal shoppers at Truckee's complete food store.

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Quality Grocery
Imported & Domestic Groceries
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HOOVER
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Give The
Best

The Christmas
of a Thoughtful
Husband

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We Deliver Free
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FOR HER
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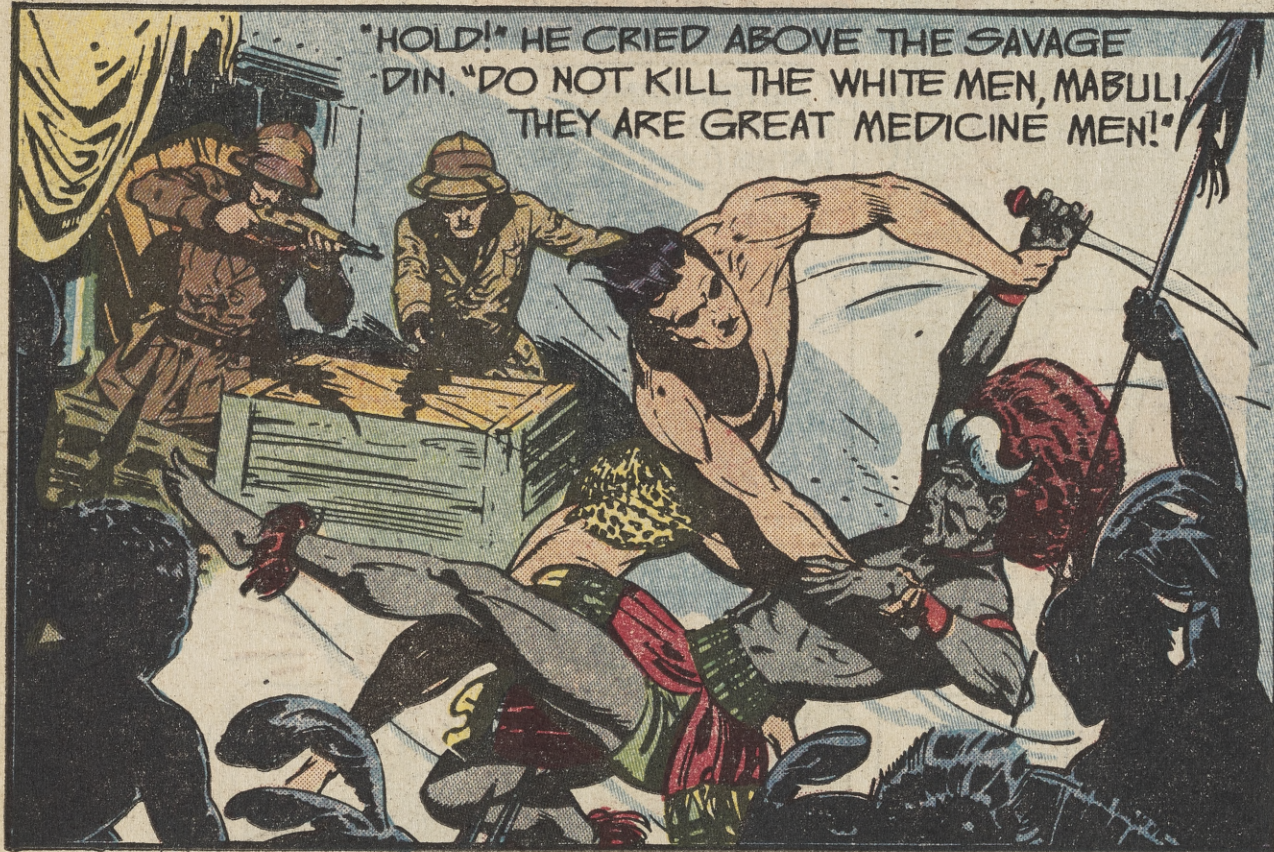
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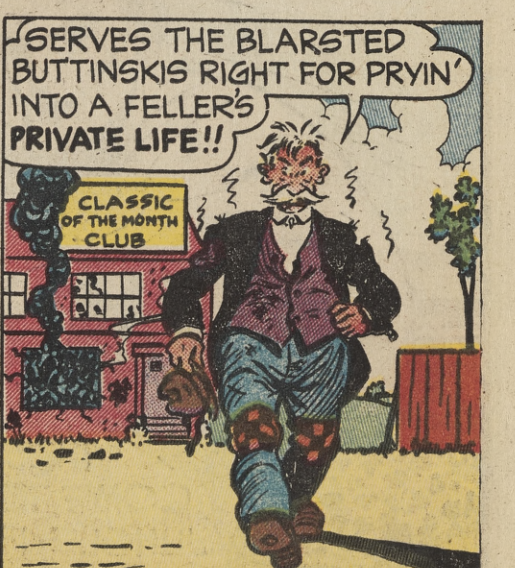
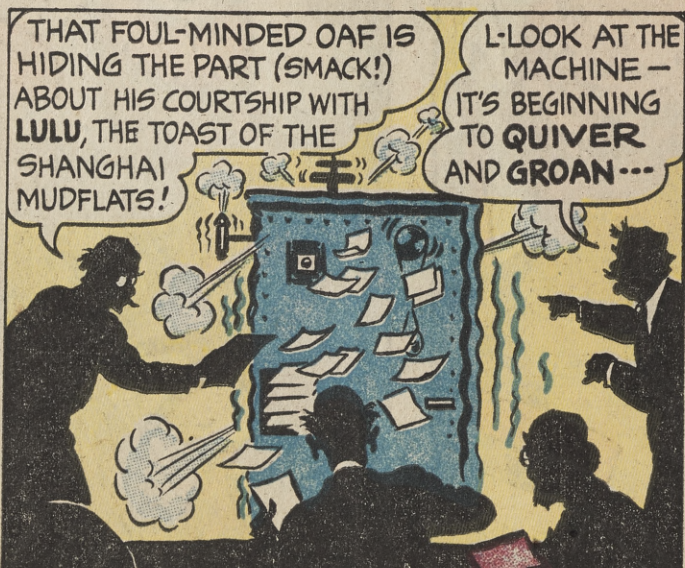
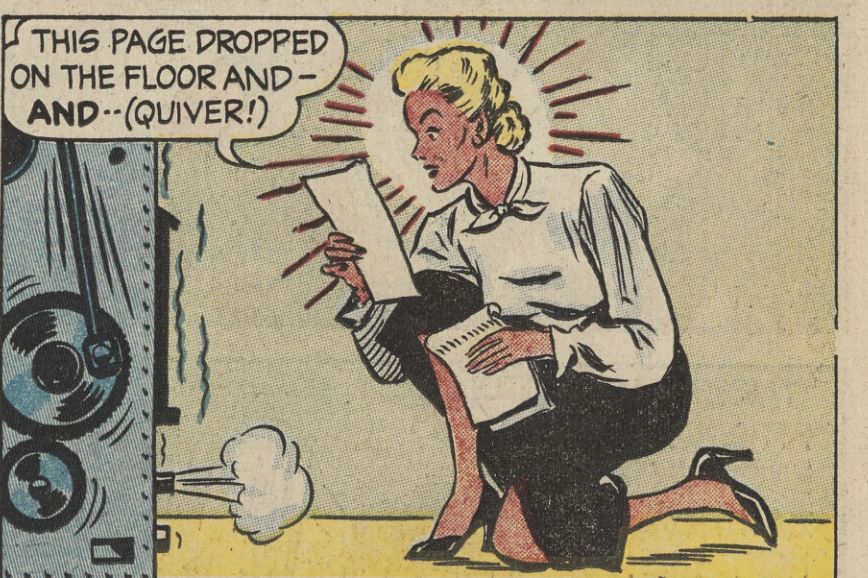
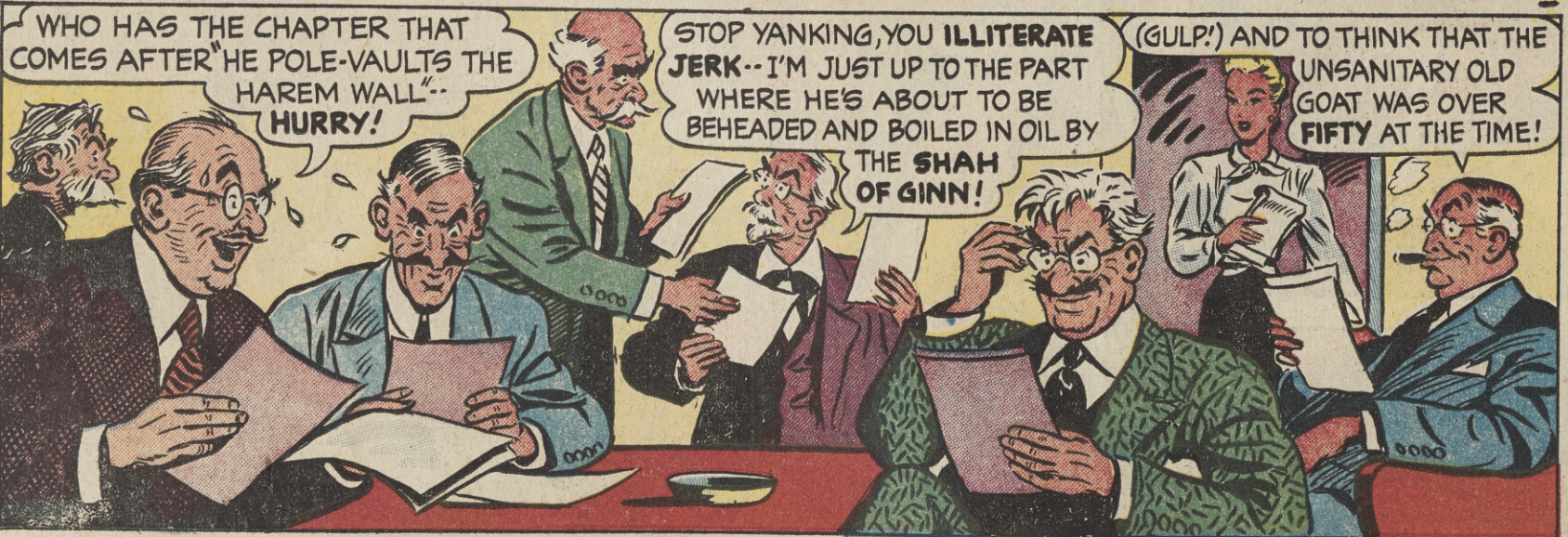
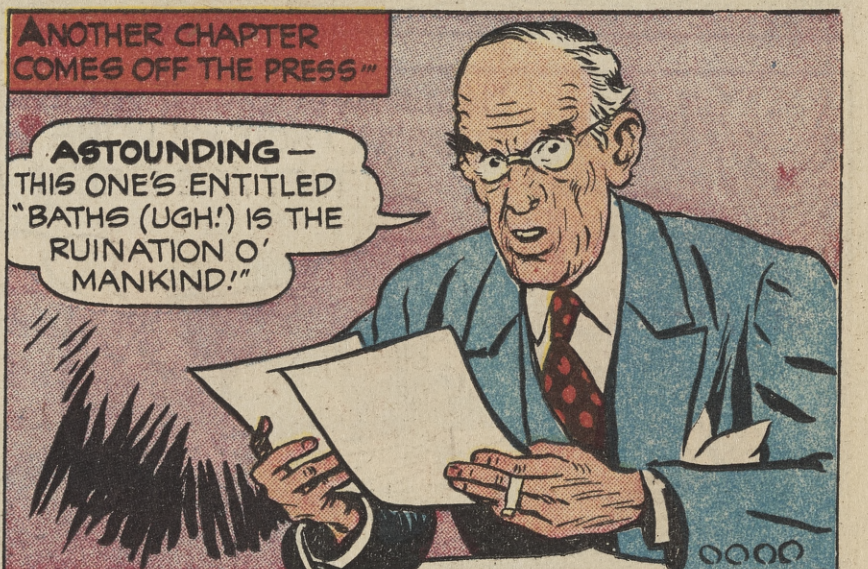
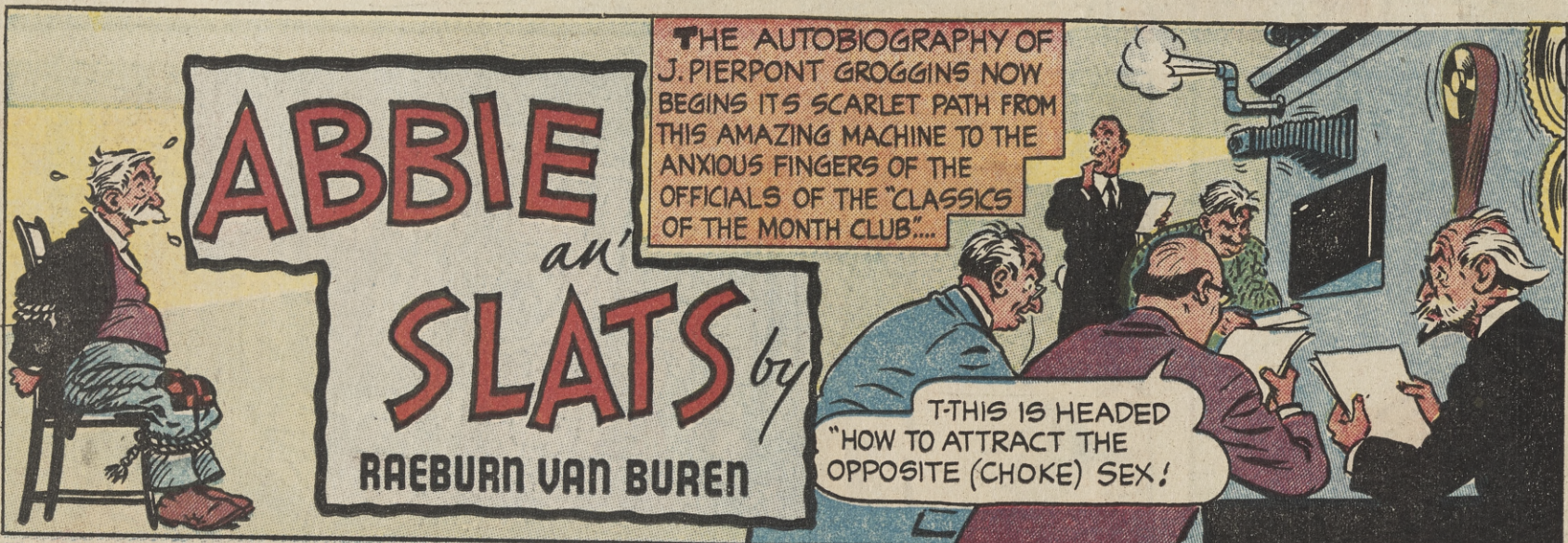
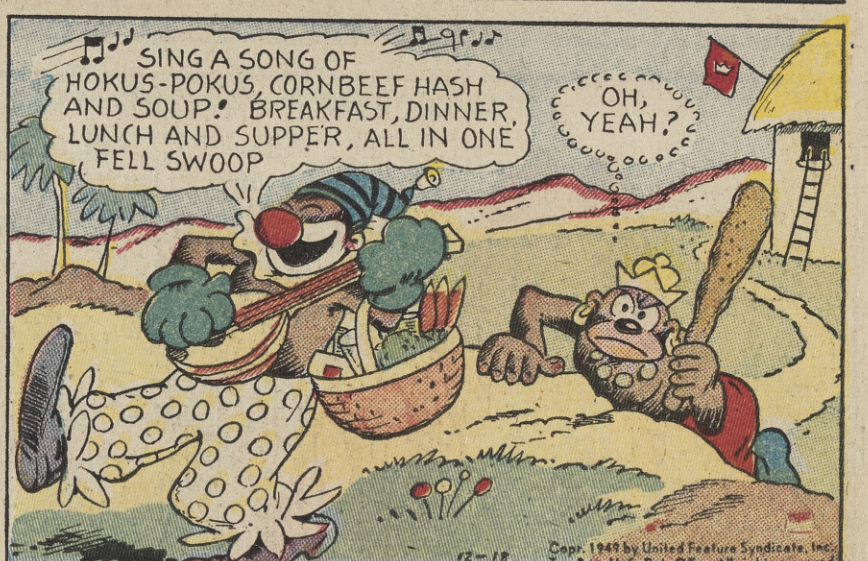
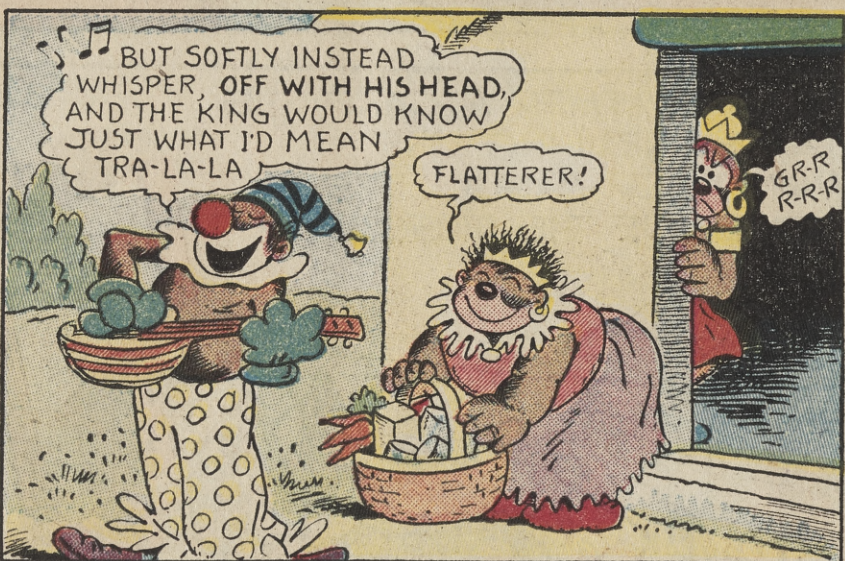
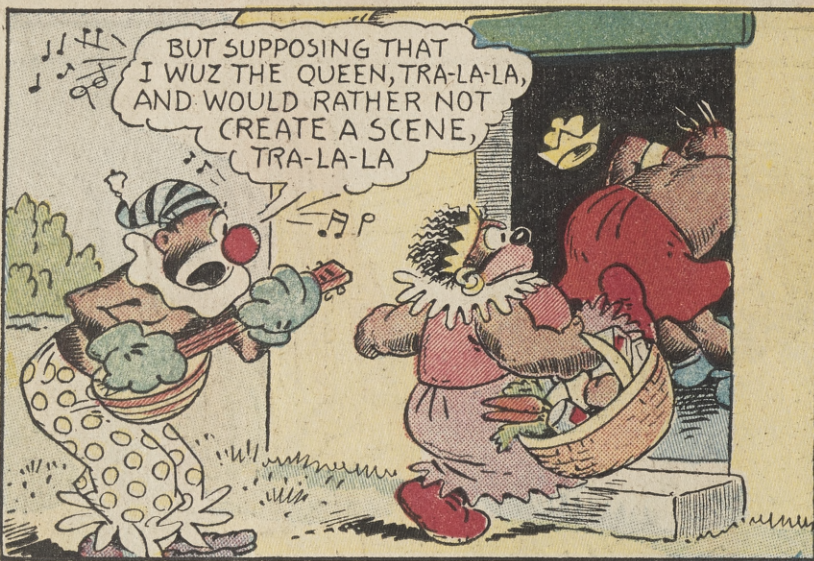
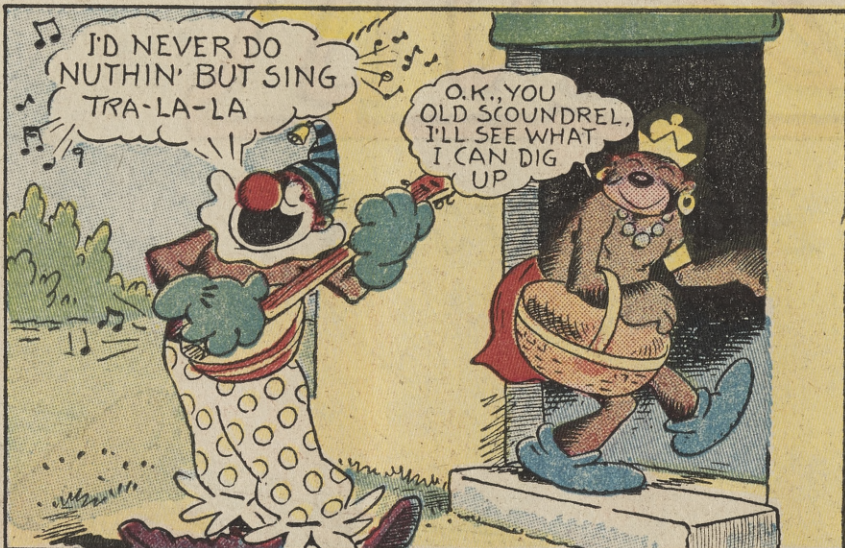
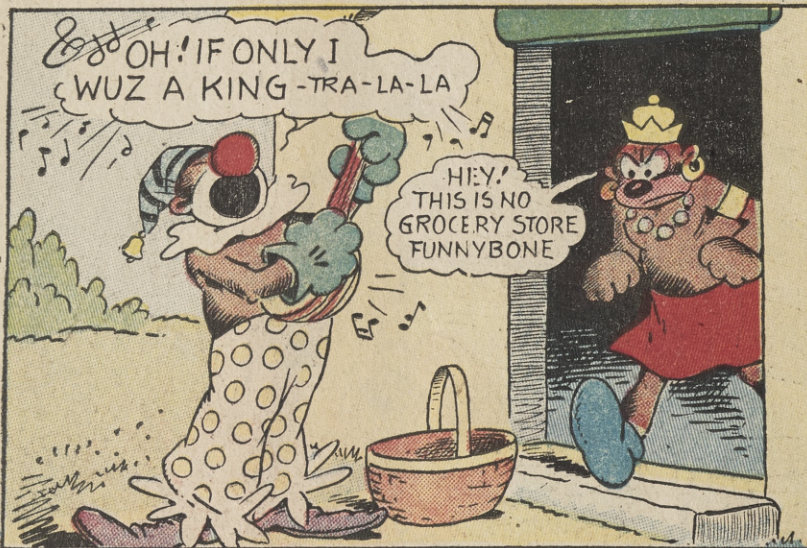
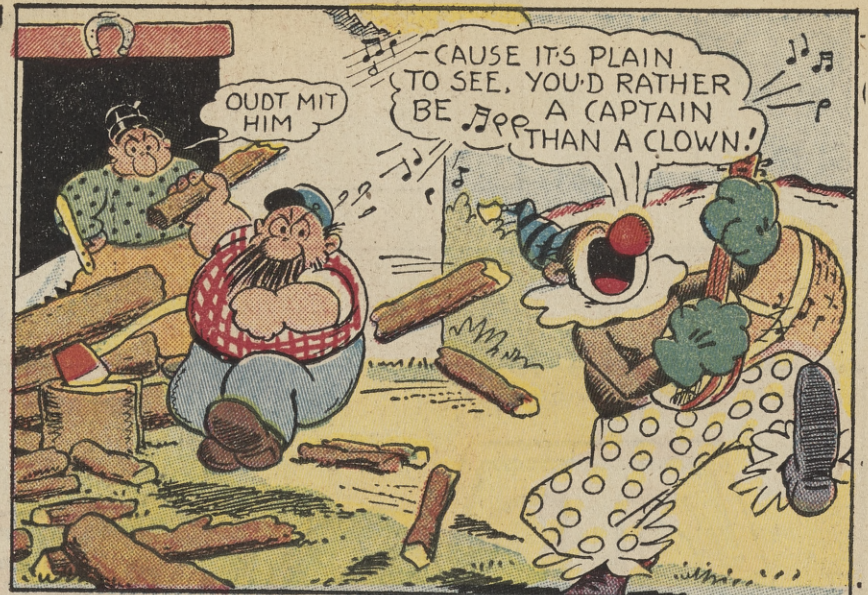
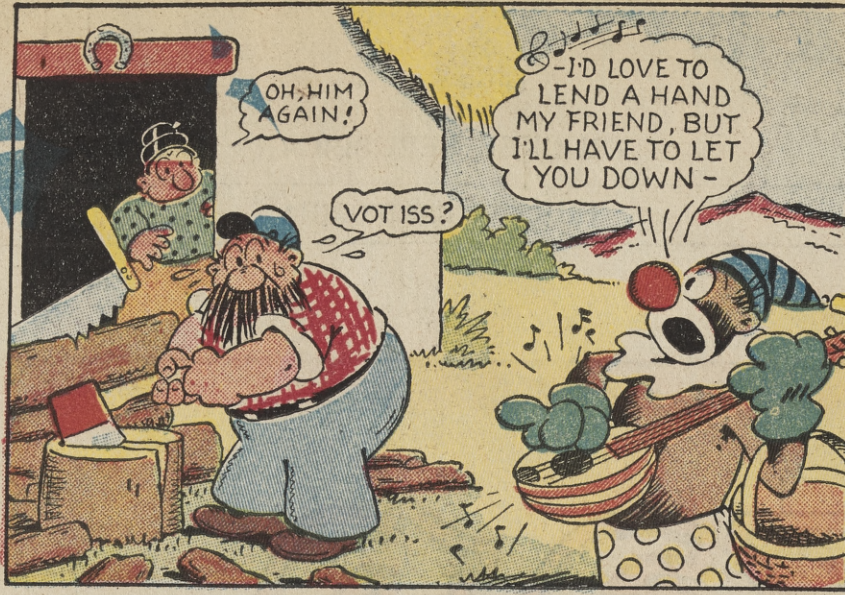
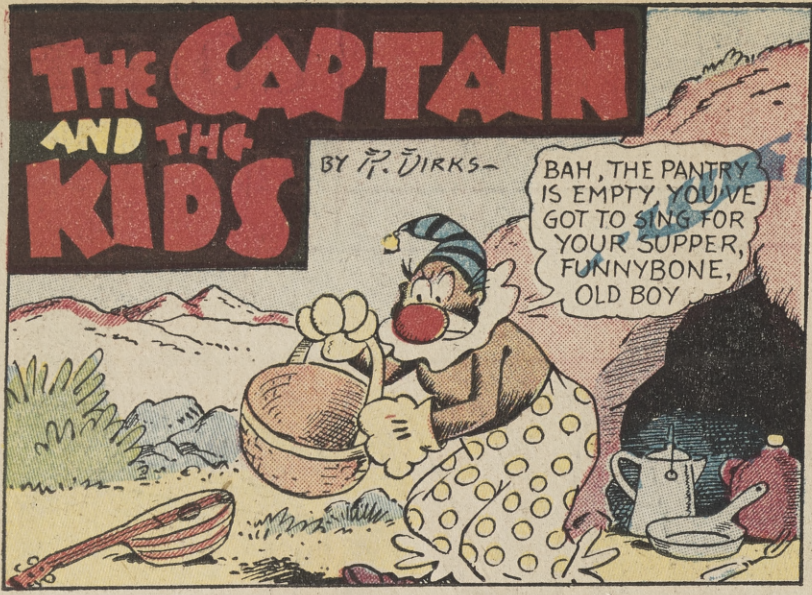
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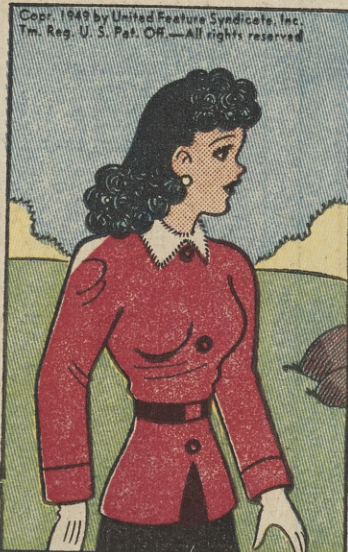




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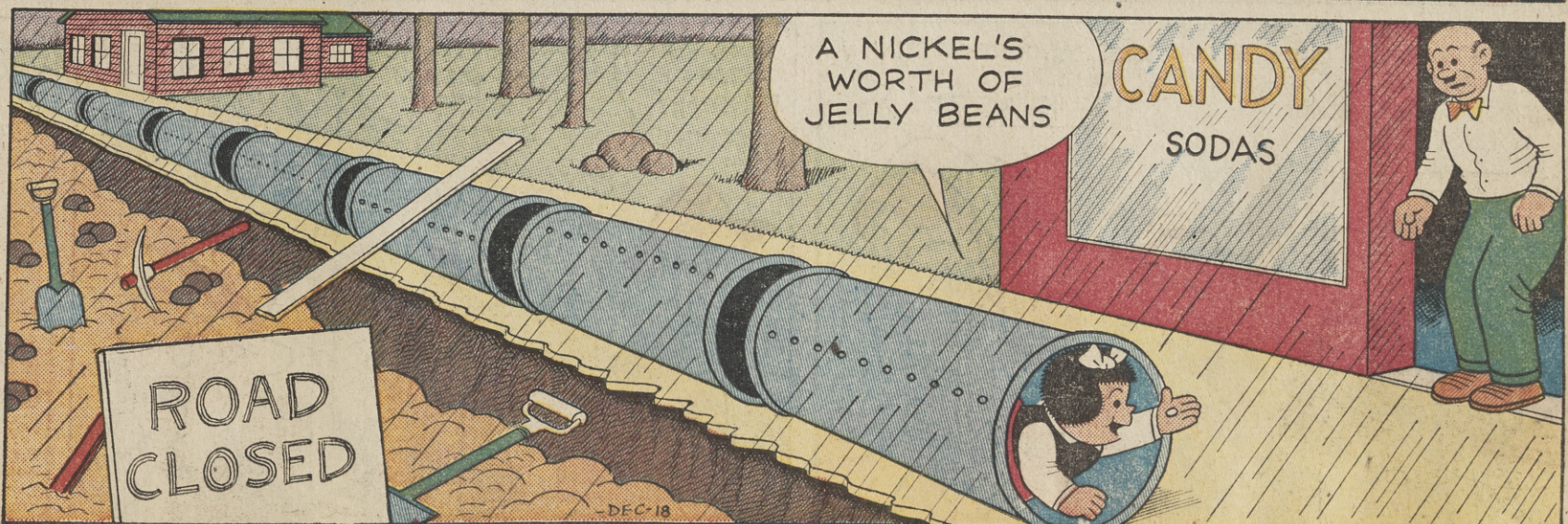
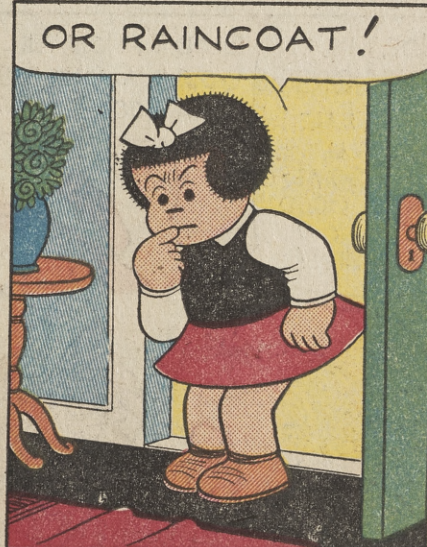
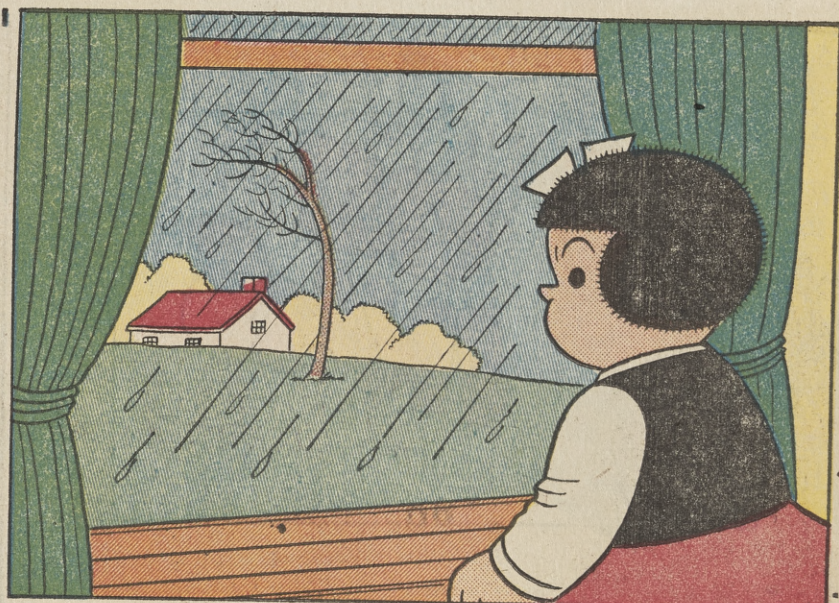
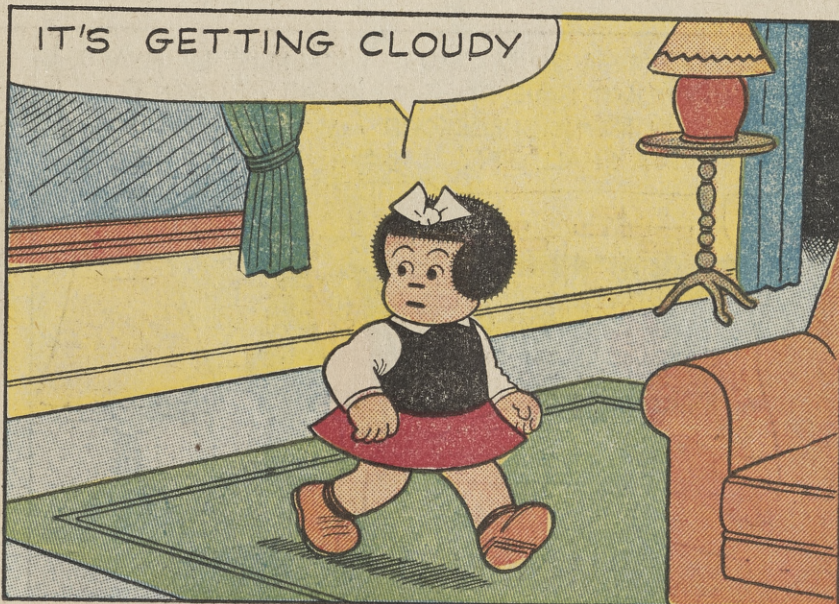
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HIX'S **STRANGE as it seems**

FRANCES HODGSON BURNETT--
 AUTHOR OF "LITTLE LORD FAUNTLEROY"--
 WON THE FIRST DECISION OF THE ENGLISH COURTS GIVING AUTHORS CONTROL OF DRAMATIC RIGHTS TO THEIR STORIES.
 FOR HER ACCOMPLISHMENT, ENGLISH AUTHORS, WHO HAD SPENT THOUSANDS OF POUNDS TO NO AVAIL, PRESENTED HER WITH A BEAUTIFUL DIAMOND BRACELET

THE **OLDEST** CHURCH PULPIT IN THE UNITED STATES INSTALLED IN OLD SWEDES' CHURCH, *Wilmington, Del.*, IN 1698, IS STILL IN USE

THE GREAT AUK--
 EXTINCT BIRD, COULD NOT FLY BUT MIGRATED ANNUALLY FROM NEWFOUNDLAND TO MASSACHUSETTS--
 IT **SWAM** ALL THE WAY!

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TREE-CLIMBING GOATS OF MOROCCO FEED ON FOLIAGE 30 TO 40 FEET OFF THE GROUND!

THE **LARGER** THE TELESCOPE, THE **SMALLER** THE STARS APPEAR!
 LARGER AND MORE PERFECT INSTRUMENTS PINPOINT THEIR LIGHTS, WHILE SMALLER ONES MAY DISTORT THE IMAGE TO REVEAL AN APPARENT DISC!

RABBITS CAN SEE BACKWARDS!

MINNESOTA--
 KNOWN AS THE LAND OF TEN THOUSAND LAKES--
 IN REALITY HAS OVER 11,000!

THE JUICE OF THE HAREBELL, OR BLUEBELL, MAY BE USED AS INK!

JOE INK'S
 BY HENRY FORMHALS

I'D LIKE TO HIRE A SANTA CLAUS CHRISTMAS EVE AND HAVE ALL THE YOUNGSTERS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD IN TO RECEIVE A SMALL GIFT!

YOU MUST LIE AWAKE NIGHTS FIGURIN' OUT WAYS T' SPEND MY DOUGH!

OH, IT WON'T COST VERY MUCH!

IT BETTER NOT!

WHASSAMATTER, JOE? YOU LOOK KIND OF LOW!

I AM LOW-FINANCIALLY! MY FAMILY'S CHRISTMAS SHOPPIN' HAS ME NEARLY BROKE!

PERHAPS I CAN HELP YOU!

JOE, THIS IS ONE-HORSE SHEA! HE COMES UP WITH SOMETHING GOOD EV'RY NOW AN' THEN!

GLAD T'KNOW YUH, JOE! WOULDYA LIKE T'GET IN ON A GOOD THING?

WHY NOT? IF IT'S HONEST AN' WON'T COST TOO MUCH DOUGH!

SANTA ANITA'S OPENING IN A FEW DAYS AN' I GOT A 'SURE THING GOIN'!

A HORSE RACE? NOT ME! I NEVER BET ON 'EM!

BUT THIS HORSE CAN'T LOSE! HE'S WORKING LIKE A HOUSE AFIRE AND HE'S GONNA BE AT LEAST 10 TO 1!

BROTHER, YOU'RE WASTIN' YOUR TIME! I'M NOT INTERESTED!

OKAY, IT'S YOUR FUNERAL!

HMMPH! ME BET ON A HORSE!

TH' IDEA TRYIN' T' TOUT ME ON A HORSE RACE! HE MUST THINK I LOOK LIKE A SUCKER!

BESIDES, I DON'T HAVE ANY FAITH IN TIPS OF ANY KIND! THEY USUALLY LOSE!

BUT HE SAID IT COULDN'T LOSE! --- AND AT 10 TO 1 ODDS!

HEY, WAIT A MINUTE! WHAT DID Y SAY TH' HORSE'S NAME IS?